GREAT

MASTERWORT.

NAMES.

A.

G. Οσειτον.

L. Imperitoria.

I. Imperitorio.

G. Meisterwurts.

F. Imperatoire.

S.

D Meester-wor-tel.

PLACE.

The Austrian, & Stirian Mountains, with us in Gardens.

DESCRIPTION.

This Plant has long knotty Roots, about the thickneſs of a Finger, G and having many Fibres. The Stalks 1, are neatly Rib'd, Hollow, of Green. The Leaves 2, of this Plant, are Deeply Veind, of a Pleaſa on their Backs the Colour is Lighter; they grow Three upon one footſt the Middle is Divided into three parts, the ſide Leaves are Cut, almoſt footſtalks, but not cloſe to it as the Middle or upper Leaf is. They are great Variety. The Flowers which Grow in Umbles 3, conſiſt of fi Leaves 4, (which grow upon the tops of the Seeds 5, which are Nak their ends turn'd backward. Each Flower has five white Chives, with clining to Yellow 6, the Styles are almost white. The Leaf 2, and reduced to half the natural Size. 7 Is one part of the Umble in the another in the Seed. 4 & 5 are Magnified. alſo 9 a flower ſideways.

VIRTUES.

The Roots are Warm and Drying, used against Peſtilentia and the Bites of Venemous Creatures.

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